



## Pioneer Village ACTIVITY SHEET

### Farming Videos

At the Pioneer Village, you saw antique tractors in action. Now, you can watch videos from [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) and see the tractors of today in action!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QWbywLWQhBg&feature=related>

This is a video of a farmer cutting soybeans. From this video and the following one of the farmer shelling corn, you can compare and contrast the differences between the combine heads. A farmer uses a different combine head for different crops. There is a combine head for corn and there is a combine head for soybeans and wheat.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g3QXVe3lOng>

This is a video of a farmer shelling corn with a combine. Notice how the corn cob and the shucked leaves from the ear of corn are thrown out the back of the combine.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oHhJJbUYSI&feature=related>

Sometimes farmers cannot make it to the end of the field without unloading some grain. So instead of stopping where they are and driving to the end of the field to unload, another farmer can drive a tractor and grain cart beside the combine, allowing for the farmer driving the combine to unload on the go! It takes a lot of talent to make sure no grain is spilt as it is unloaded.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eWkG1RVLxTM&feature=related>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zNe-SotGGy8>

These are two videos of a farmer driving a tractor while pulling a field cultivator. The cultivator tills the ground, preparing the field for next year's crop.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GcCyMRON1zk>

This is a video taken at the Half Century of Progress Antique Tractor show last year in Illinois. It shows the 48 draft horses working together to pull the 30 foot disk.

